

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS21500

This bill changes the annual salary of justices of the Supreme Court, judges of the Court of Appeals, district judges, and attorney magistrate judges beginning July 1, 2012. The annual salaries of the justices and judges would be increased by two percent (2%).

FISCAL NOTE

The total fiscal impact of this change for the increased cost of salary and benefits, which are paid from the General Fund, is \$371,700 for FY 2013.

Position:	Current Salary	2% CEC
Chief Justice	\$121,006	\$123,400
Supreme Court Justice	\$119,506	\$121,900
Court of Appeals Judge	\$118,506	\$120,900
Administrative District Judge	\$113,543	\$115,800
District Judge	\$112,043	\$114,300
Magistrate	\$107,043	\$109,300

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